




<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Large Entity)</b>				Docket No. <b>16613(PC9731A)</b>	
Applicant(s): <b>John W. Watson et al.</b>					
Serial No. <b>09/476,253</b>	Filing Date <b>December 30, 1999</b>	Examiner <b>C. Muirheid</b>		Group Art Unit <b>1614</b>	
Invention: <b>PROLINETIC AGENTS FOR TREATING GASTRIC HYPOMOTILITY AND RELATED DISORDERS</b>					
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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.					
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<b>CLAIMS AS AMENDED</b>					
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INDEP. CLAIMS	4 -	4 =	0 x	\$86.00	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					\$0.00
<b>TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT</b>					<b>\$0.00</b>
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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**For:** PROKINETIC AGENTS FOR TREATING  
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**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.143 AND §1.146**

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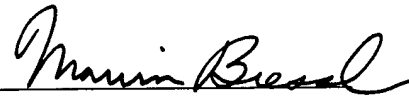
In response to the Official Action dated March 23, 2004, applicants elect, for prosecution on the merits in this application, the invention denoted as Group I, encompassing Claims 1-10, 12-15, 28, 29, 31-39 and 44. This election is made with traverse.

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In further response to the Official Action, applicants elect as the condition prevented or treated (i) a sign or concomitant of diabetic neuropathy, anorexia nervosa, achlorhydria, gastrointestinal surgery, post-surgical recovery in the period of emergence from general anesthesia for the administration of morphine or morphine-like opioids. This species election is made with traverse.

Applicants state that Claims 1-10, 28, 29 and 44 read on this elected species.